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WHERE THE AVERAGE TOWN AND CITY DOLLAR  
CAME FROM DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED  
JANUARY 31, 1938, IN COMPARISON WITH THE  
TOWN OF NEWFIELDS DOLLAR:

	ENTIRE STATE		NEWFIELDS	
	<i>Total</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Proportion</i>
	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>of Aver.</i>	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>of Aver.</i>
		<i>Dollar</i>		<i>Dollar</i>
CURRENT REVENUE:				
<i>From Local Taxes, inc.</i>				
Property and Poll				
Taxes, Taxes on Na-				
tional Bank Stock ..	\$19,554,567.37	\$0.765	\$11,121.02	\$0.752
<i>From State</i>				
Interest and Dividends				
Tax .....	672,335.05	.026	1,603.55	.108
Insurance Tax .....	33,036.61	.001		
Railroad Tax .....	227,290.69	.009	847.26	.057
Savings Bank and Build-				
ing and Loan Associ-				
ation Taxes .....	455,286.27	.018	481.92	.033
<i>From Local Sources Ex-</i>				
<i>cept Taxes:</i>				
Dog Licenses .....	68,251.60	.003	118.48	.008
Business Licenses and				
Permits .....	52,426.90	.002		
Fines and Forfeits, Mu-				
nicipal Court .....	51,101.10	.002		
Rent of Town Property	64,960.81	.003	38.00	.003
Interest on Deposits and				
Overdue Taxes .....	158,873.69	.006	61.20	.004
Income from Trust Funds	86,535.68	.003		
Income from Departments	371,902.74	.015		
Appropriations from Mu-				
nicipally-owned Utili-				
ties .....	616,240.82	.024		
Motor Vehicle Permits.	522,941.91	.020	426.05	.029
Misc. inc. National For-				
est Reserve .....	9,787.60	.000		
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN				
CURRENT REVENUE:				
Bonds and Long-Term				
Notes .....	1,906,517.49	.075		
Withdrawals from Sink-				
ing Funds to apply on				
Principal of Debt ...	47,788.81	.002		
Insurance Adjustments,				
Refunds and Gifts ...	395,678.71	.016	84.00	.006
Sale of Town Property				
acquired by Tax Deeds	61,593.51	.002		
Grants from U. S. Gov-				
ernment .....	200,370.90	.008		
TOTALS .....	\$25,557,488.26	\$1.000	\$14,781.48	\$1.000

HOW THE AVERAGE TOWN AND CITY DOLLAR WAS  
SPENT DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JANU-  
ARY 31, 1938, IN COMPARISON WITH THE TOWN OF  
NEWFIELDS DOLLAR:

	ENTIRE STATE		NEWFIELDS	
	<i>Total</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Proportion</i>
	<i>Expend.</i>	<i>of Aver.</i>	<i>Expend.</i>	<i>of Aver.</i>
		<i>Dollar</i>		<i>Dollar</i>
General Government inc.				
Town Officers' Sal-				
aries and Expenses,				
Election and Registra-				
tion Expenses, Munici-				
pal Court Expenses,				
Expenses of Town				
Buildings	\$1,111,675.48	\$0.044	\$840.77	\$0.056
<i>Protection of Persons</i>				
<i>and Property inc. Po-</i>				
<i>lice and Fire Depts.,</i>				
<i>Forest Fires, Moth Ex-</i>				
<i>termination and White</i>				
<i>Pine Blister Rust,</i>				
<i>Damage by Dogs</i>	1,595,311.29	.063	250.34	.017
<i>Health, inc. Health Dept.,</i>				
<i>Hospitals, Vital Sta-</i>				
<i>tistics, Sewer Mainte-</i>				
<i>nance</i>	601,182.38	.024	29.90	.002
<i>Highways</i>	4,199,574.32	.167	3,319.14	.222
<i>Construction</i>	1,005,458.23		931.95	
<i>Maintenance, inc.</i>				
<i>Street Lighting</i>	3,194,116.09		2,387.19	
<i>Libraries</i>	237,850.73	.009	241.50	.016
<i>Public Welfare</i>	1,468,761.87	.058	819.54	.055
<i>Patriotic Purposes</i>	89,810.05	.004	607.26	.041
<i>Recreation, inc. Parks</i>				
<i>and Playgrounds, Band</i>				
<i>Concerts</i>	185,109.42	.007		
<i>Public Service Enter-</i>				
<i>prises, inc. Water and</i>				
<i>Electric Utilities, Mar-</i>				
<i>kets, Scales, Cemeteries</i>	647,403.39	.026	65.85	.005
<i>Taxes Bought by Town</i>	641,357.44	.026	291.71	.019
<i>Unclassified, inc. Dam-</i>				
<i>ages, Legal Exp., Dis-</i>				
<i>counts and Abate-</i>				
<i>ments, and Miscel.</i>	247,231.65	.010	32.02	.002
<i>Interest</i>	479,019.49	.019	152.55	.010
<i>Indebtedness</i>	1,506,233.24	.060		
<i>New Buildings, New</i>				
<i>Equipment, Lands,</i>				
<i>Sewers, etc.</i>	968,289.45	.039		
<i>State Taxes</i>	1,599,875.02	.064	1,072.00	.072
<i>County Taxes</i>	2,873,959.12	.114	1,499.61	.100
<i>Precinct Taxes</i>	236,901.67	.009		
<i>School Taxes</i>	6,471,912.24	.257	5,739.50	.383
TOTALS	\$25,161,458.25	\$1.000	\$14,961.69	\$1.000

## GRAVE FOREST SITUATION FOLLOWS SEPTEMBER HURRICANE

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Woodland problems of timber salvage and fire control created in many towns by the September hurricane are of the greatest importance. GOOD CITIZENSHIP CALLS FOR PERSONAL AND WIDESPREAD ACTION!

*The salvage of every thousand feet of logs which can be sold* means money for landowners, wages for workers, employment for trucks, teams and machinery, as well as reduced forest fire hazard for all. If owners of wind-thrown timber have not yet acted, they should communicate with those who can help. TOWN CHAIRMEN are fully informed; STATE ADVISORY AGENTS can help to start logging by suggesting names of operators and giving other useful advice; FEDERAL AGENCIES are increasing the number of log storage places as rapidly as possible. INDIVIDUALS MUST NOW CO-OPERATE!

*Forest fire danger for several years will be greater than usual.* So much work must be done by public agencies to reduce hazard along roadsides, near improved and other exposed areas that many places will remain hazardous for some time to come. INDIVIDUAL LANDOWNERS MUST TAKE A PERSONAL INTEREST! Aid in clean-up work through the Agricultural Conservation Program is available to any woodland owner at \$4.00 per acre on areas up to 15 acres. The County Agent should be consulted.

*Support your local Forest Fire Wardens and Deputies.* They are planning, with State and Federal agencies, an intensive campaign to control fires. Help



them by strict observance of the fire laws. Kindle no open fires without a permit from the Warden except when the ground is covered with snow. Co-operate by reporting fires you may see and in other ways. Fire fighting tool supplies are inadequate and should be reasonably increased by many towns. YOU CAN HELP, AND IT WILL PAY, TO PREVENT FOREST FIRES.

### UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES

*as of February 27th, 1939*

ALBERT AUSTIN	FRED NICHOLS
MARY BALLOU	EVA NICHOLS
RALPH CRITCHETT	HERBERT PEASE
MRS. CRITCHETT	WILLIAM PEASE
LEWIS DESROCHES	ELVENA PEASE
BARBARA DESROCHES	HOWARD PEASE
JOHN FINN, JR.	GLADYS SPENCER
WALTER MARTIN	IRVIN SPENCER
ARLAND MAGOON	NETTIE SPENCER
ROBERT MORRILL	WALTER SPENCER
BESSIE WESCOTT	BEATRICE THOMPSON
HARRY THOMPSON	

# Town Officers

## *Selectmen*

W. GEORGE NIXON	Term expires March, 1939
EDWARD KENDALL	Term expires March, 1940
ALFRED CONNER, JR.	Term expires March, 1941

## *Town Clerk and Treasurer*

EUGENE C. PATRIDGE

## *Highway Agent*

D. PERRY SMITH

## *Moderator and Measurer of Wood*

PERLEY R. BEAN

## *Health Officer*

ROYAL MAYO

## *Trustees of Trust Funds*

JAMES E. GRAY	Term expires March, 1939
GEORGE W. PAUL	Term expires March, 1940
*ROBERT E. NIXON	Term expires March, 1941

## *Library Trustees*

ALFRED CONNER	Term expires March, 1939
ISABEL WIGGIN	Term expires March, 1940
ISABEL PAUL	Term expires March, 1941

## *School Board*

LESLIE F. HAYDEN	Term expires March, 1939
CHRISTOPHER A. POLLARD	Term expires March, 1940
GLADYS M. SMITH	Term expires March, 1941

## *Tax Collector*

ALICE J. COE

## *Fire Chief*

ROBERT BARKER

## *Auditor*

LESLIE F. HAYDEN

## *Supervisors of Check Lists*

EVA HAYDEN	ROSE ALTHEA BEAN	BERT P. DOE
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## *Police Officers*

JOHN J. FINN	JAMES E. GRAY
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## *Budget Committee*

THOMAS R. SHEEHY	LESLIE F. HAYDEN
W. GEORGE NIXON	CHRISTOPHER A. POLLARD
EDWARD KENDALL	ALFRED CONNER, SR.
ALFRED CONNER, JR.	FRANK E. LANG
GLADYS M. SMITH	GEORGE S. CHASE
	JAMES E. GRAY



# Town Warrant

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newfields, in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at Newfields Town Hall in said Newfields on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for road construction and raise and appropriate seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) for same.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to grant a discount on taxes paid in full on or before August 15, discount to be three per cent.

6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the gift of George W. Paul of a parcel of land opposite the Catholic Church in Newfields. This land is to be used by grantee for a public park and is the same on which the soldiers' and sailors' monument is now located. This park is to be called George W. Paul Park.

7. To raise and appropriate for the issuance and distribution of printed matter and otherwise publicizing the resources and natural advantages of the town in co-operation with other towns co-ordinated in the Seacoast Regional Development Association, the sum of \$32.00.

8. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$300.00 from Clara A. Blinn, Levi L. Pollard and Jessie L. Pollard for perpetual care of cemetery lots No. 41 and 42 in the Rockingham Cemetery.

9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell all lots except lots No. 137 to 182 in Rockingham Cemetery at \$120.00 per lot (\$100.00 to be put in Cemetery Trust Fund for perpetual care of said lot).

10. To see if the Town will vote to sell to Leon Spencer a certain piece of land located on the easterly side of Pleasant Street and bounded by land of said Town and Leon Spencer.

11. On petition of D. Perry Smith, Forest Fire Warden, Robert T. Barker, Chief of Fire Department, and eight others, to see if the Town will vote to buy a Front End Pump for the Fire Truck, and raise and appropriate Three Hundred and Twenty-Five Dollars (\$325.00) for the same.

Given under our hands and seal, this 27th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

WILLIAM G. NIXON,  
EDWARD KENDALL,  
ALFRED CONNER, JR.,

Selectmen of Newfields, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WILLIAM G. NIXON,  
EDWARD KENDALL,  
ALFRED CONNER, JR.,

Selectmen of Newfields, N. H.



COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND  
EXPENDITURES FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY  
31, 1939:

	<i>Appropriations</i>	<i>Expenditures</i>	<i>Unexpended Balance</i>	<i>Overdraft</i>
Town officers' salaries..	\$450.00	\$450.52	....	\$0.52
Town officers' expenses.	175.00	336.09	....	161.09
Election and registration	175.00	117.90	\$57.10	....
*Town Hall, expenses,				
\$100, insurance \$250 .	350.00	455.25	....	105.25
Police department .....	40.00	40.50	....	.50
Fire department .....	100.00	79.86	20.14	....
Moth extermination ...	100.00	51.10	48.90	....
Health department ....	40.00	39.92	.08	....
State aid construction ..	75.00	75.23	....	.23
Town maintenance:				
Winter .....	400.00	363.33	36.67	....
Summer .....	600.00	681.47	....	81.47
Town construction:				
Pleasant Street .....	500.00	500.00	....	....
Flood and hurricane ...	....	266.20	....	266.20
Street lighting .....	900.00	874.66	25.34	....
General expenses of				
highway department .	50.00	39.25	10.75	....
Library .....	125.00	164.04	....	39.04
Town poor .....	300.00	339.45	....	39.45
Old age assistance ....	300.00	139.70	160.30	....
Memorial Day .....	40.00	40.00	....	....
Aid to soldiers and their				
families .....	150.00	257.67	....	107.67
Parks and playgrounds.	....	15.00	....	15.00
Cemeteries .....	75.00	68.20	6.80	....
Damages: Hens killed..	....	5.00	....	5.00
Interest .....	150.00	108.33	41.67	....
Payment on temporary				
loans .....	150.00	150.00	....	....
State tax .....	804.00	804.00	....	....
County tax .....	1,921.22	1,921.22	....	....
School tax .....	5,100.00	5,100.00	....	....
Regional Seacoast Development Association ..	32.00	32.02	....	.02
Tercentenary celebration	150.00	47.27	102.73	....
Totals .....	\$13,252.22	\$13,563.18	\$510.48	\$821.44
Net overdraft of appropriations .....			\$310.96	
			\$821.44	\$821.44

Represents "Net Expenditure" by town, i. e., Total Expenditure less reimbursement from all sources.

\*Due Insurance Company for Town Hall Insurance.

# Budget of the Town of

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year  
February 1, 1939, to January 31, 1940:

SOURCES OF REVENUE	<i>Actual Revenue Previous Year 1938</i>	<i>Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1939</i>
FROM STATE:		
Relief refunds .....	\$228.48	.....
Interest and dividend tax .....	1,653.88	\$1,500.00
Railroad tax .....	687.46	700.00
Savings Bank tax .....	440.67	450.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES:		
Dog licenses .....	119.83	116.13
Rent of town property .....	36.00	.....
Interest received on taxes .....	64.09	.....
Registration of motor vehicles .....	491.80	450.00
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:		
Temporary loans .....	4,000.00	.....
Refunds .....	604.68	.....
Sale of cemetery lots .....	40.00	.....
Taxes redeemed .....	86.22	.....
Sale of wood .....	20.00	.....
Filing fees .....	6.00	.....
Miscellaneous .....	9.95	.....
Cash on hand February 1, 1938 .....	439.00	1,222.47
Total revenue from all sources except property taxes .....	\$8,928.06	\$4,438.60
Amount to be raised by property taxes ...	10,147.35	8,845.92
TOTAL REVENUES .....	\$19,075.41	\$13,284.52



# Newfields, New Hampshire

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Ex- penditures Previous Year 1938	*Estimated Expendi- tures Ensu- ing Year 1939
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:		
Town officers' salaries .....	\$450.52	\$505.00
Town officers' expenses .....	336.09	315.00
Election and registration expenses .....	117.90	50.00
Expenses Town Hall and other buildings	241.25	100.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND		
PROPERTY:		
Police department .....	40.50	40.00
Fire department .....	79.86	175.00
Moth extermination .....	51.10	100.00
Damage of dogs .....	5.00	.....
HEALTH:		
Health department .....	39.92	40.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:		
Town maintenance .....	1,101.55	1,000.00
Street lighting .....	874.66	900.00
General expenses of highway department	39.25	75.00
LIBRARIES:		
Libraries .....	164.04	125.00
CHARITIES:		
Old age assistance .....	283.70	250.00
Town poor .....	381.69	400.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:		
Memorial Day .....	40.00	20.00
Aid to soldiers and their families .....	299.91	.....
PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS:		
Playgrounds .....	15.00	.....
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:		
Cemeteries .....	68.20	75.00
UNCLASSIFIED:		
Taxes bought by town .....	212.28	.....
Refunds and abatements .....	11.69	.....
INTERESTS:		
Paid on temporary loans .....	120.83	80.00
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION:		
State aid construction .....	75.23	75.00
Town construction .....	689.45	500.00
INDEBTEDNESS:		
Payments on temporary loans .....	4,000.00	150.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN-		
MENTAL DIVISIONS:		
Taxes paid to state .....	804.00	900.00
Taxes paid to county .....	1,921.22	2,000.00
Payments to school districts .....	5,216.63	5,377.52
Regional Seacoast Development Ass'n...	32.02	32.00
Tercentenary celebration .....	139.45	.....

TOTAL EXPENDITURES .....\$17,852.94 \$13,284.52

\*Town Budget for 1939—as recommended by the Budget Com-  
mittee.

## Summary of Inventory

Taken by Selectmen April 1, 1938

206 polls	
real estate, land and buildings . . . . .	\$256,580.00
electric equipment, poles and wires . . .	9,700.00
20 horses . . . . .	2,100.00
65 cows . . . . .	3,770.00
9 neat stock . . . . .	385.00
1,065 fowl . . . . .	1,065.00
3 portable mills . . . . .	200.00
gasoline pumps and tanks . . . . .	320.00
stock in trade . . . . .	2,280.00
machinery . . . . .	1,200.00
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Total valuation . . . . .	\$277,600.00

## LIST OF 1938 APPROPRIATIONS

Town officers' salaries . . . . .	\$450.00
Town officers' expenses . . . . .	175.00
Election and registration expenses . . . . .	175.00
Town Hall expenses . . . . .	350.00
Police department . . . . .	40.00
Fire department . . . . .	100.00
Moth extermination . . . . .	100.00
Health department . . . . .	40.00
Town maintenance (winter \$400, summer \$600) . . . . .	1,000.00
Street lighting . . . . .	900.00
General expenses of highway department . . .	50.00
Libraries . . . . .	125.00
Old age assistance . . . . .	300.00
Town poor . . . . .	300.00
Memorial Day . . . . .	40.00
Aid to soldiers and their families . . . . .	150.00



Cemeteries .....	\$75.00
Interest on loans .....	150.00
State aid construction .....	75.00
Town construction (Pleasant Street) .....	500.00
Payments on temporary loans .....	150.00
State tax .....	804.00
County tax .....	1,921.22
Regional Seacoast Development Ass'n. ....	32.00
Tercentenary celebration .....	150.00
School appropriation .....	5,100.00

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\$13,252.22

Less estimated revenue ..... 3,353.10

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Total appropriation ..... \$9,899.12

*Taxes Committed to Tax Collector:*

Property taxes .....	\$9,854.83
Poll taxes .....	412.00
National Bank shares taxes .....	75.48
Newmarket school offset .....	89.24

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Total taxes committed to tax collector ... \$10,431.55

## ASSETS

January 31, 1939:

Cash in hands of treasurer .....	\$1,222.47
Taxes bought by town .....	212.28
Unredeemed taxes previous years .....	324.82
Taxes uncollected levy of 1938 .....	1,357.80
Taxes uncollected levy of 1937 .....	30.00
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Total .....	\$3,147.37
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt) ..	200.26
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	\$3,347.63

## LIABILITIES

Due insurance company, Town Hall insurance	\$250.00
Outstanding loans, Rockingham National Bank	3,000.00
Due school district, dog tax .....	97.63
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Total .....	\$3,347.63

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall .....	\$30,000.00
Furniture and equipment .....	2,500.00
Library, furniture and equipment .....	6,000.00
Old fire house .....	500.00
Fire department building .....	1,000.00
Fire department equipment .....	800.00
Highway equipment .....	1,000.00
School house .....	6,500.00
School equipment .....	2,500.00
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	\$50,800.00



## Town Clerk's Report

### *Dr.*

Issued 153 automobile permits .....	\$491.80
Licensed 37 male dogs @ \$2.00 .....	\$74.00
Licensed 11 female dogs @ \$5.00 .....	55.00
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	\$129.00
Less fees and expenses .....	12.87
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	\$116.13
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	\$607.93

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Mar. 4, 1938, paid treasurer .....	\$118.71
28, 1938 " " .....	103.67
Apr. 12, 1938 " " .....	161.30
May 7, 1938 " " .....	40.00
June 8, 1938 " " .....	21.00
Sept. 2, 1938 " " .....	84.95
3, 1938 " " .....	40.00
Dec. 3, 1938 " " .....	10.28
Jan. 5, 1939 " " .....	20.00
17, 1939 " " .....	4.85
31, 1939 " " .....	3.17
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	\$607.93

All dog licenses have been collected.

E. C. PATRIDGE,  
*Town Clerk.*

## Tax Collector's Report

Amount of taxes uncollected, 1936	\$46.00	
		\$46.00
Cash to treasurer	\$16.00	
Abatements	30.00	
		\$46.00
Amount of taxes uncollected, 1937	\$1,510.93	
Interest collected	64.59	
Added taxes	6.00	
		\$1,581.52
Cash to treasurer	\$1,533.89	
Discount	3.63	
Abatements	14.00	
		\$1,551.52
Amount uncollected		30.00
Amount of taxes submitted for collection, 1938	\$10,431.55	
Added taxes	6.00	
Interest collected	3.93	
		\$10,441.48
Cash to treasurer	\$8,651.28	
Discounts	351.40	
Abatements	81.00	
		\$9,083.68

Amount of uncollected taxes January 31, 1939 .....	\$1,357.80
Amount of 1937 taxes sold .....	\$212.28
Redemptions .....	86.22

ALICE J. COE,  
*Tax Collector.*

WILLIAM G. NIXON,  
EDWARD KENDALL,  
ALFRED CONNER, JR.

*Selectmen.*

Audited by A. W. Johnson, C.P.A.



# Treasurer's Report

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## Summary of Receipts

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Property and poll taxes .....	\$10,147.18
Tax sales redeemed .....	86.22

### *From State:*

Relief refunds .....	228.48
Interest and dividend tax .....	1,653.88
Railroad tax .....	687.46
Savings Bank tax .....	440.67

### *From Local Sources, Except Taxes:*

Dog licenses .....	119.83
Rent of Town Hall .....	36.00
Interest received on taxes .....	64.09
Registration of motor vehicles .....	491.80

### *Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:*

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes ..	4,000.00
Refunds .....	604.68
Sale of cemetery lots .....	40.00
Sale of wood .....	20.00
Filing fees .....	6.00
Miscellaneous .....	95.00

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Total receipts from all sources .....	\$18,636.24
Cash on hand February 1, 1938 .....	439.00

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Total Receipts .....	\$19,075.24
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## Summary of All Payments

Town officers' salaries .....	\$450.52
Town officers' expenses .....	336.09
Election and registration .....	117.90
Town Hall expenses .....	241.25
Police department .....	40.50
Fire department .....	79.86
Moth extermination .....	51.10
Health department .....	39.92
Old age assistance .....	283.70
State aid construction .....	75.23
Town maintenance .....	1,101.55
Street lights .....	874.66
General expenses: Highway department ...	39.25
Libraries .....	164.04
Town poor .....	381.69
Memorial Day .....	40.00
Aid to soldiers and families .....	299.91
Parks and playgrounds .....	15.00
Cemeteries .....	68.20
Seacoast Regional Development Ass'n. ....	32.02
Abatements and refunds .....	11.69
Taxes bought by town .....	212.28
Interest paid on loans .....	120.83
New construction .....	689.45
Tercentenary celebration .....	139.45
Dog damage .....	5.00
Payments on loans .....	4,000.00
School district .....	5,216.63
Taxes paid to state .....	804.00
Taxes paid to county .....	1,921.22
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Total payments for all purposes .....	\$17,852.94

# DETAIL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

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Feb.	1,	1938,	Corrected balance on hand . . . . .	\$439.00
	3,		Received from Edward and Mary Handy, re-	
			fund for January, 1938 . . . . .	12.00
	5,	" "	state treasurer, 20 per cent. of	
			relief for December, 1938 . . . . .	14.77
	14,	" "	J. J. Finn, dog officer, 1937	
			account . . . . .	1.85
Mar.	4,	" "	town clerk, 20 auto permits . . . . .	118.71
	4,	" "	Edward and Mary Handy,	
			February relief refund . . . . .	12.00
	5,	" "	Alice J. Coe,	
			1937 property tax. \$260.95	
			interest . . . . .	2.42
			polls . . . . .	16.00
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				\$279.37
	5,	" "	state treasurer, 20 per cent of	
			relief for February . . . . .	1.28
	28,	" "	town clerk, 30 auto permits . . . . .	103.67
	29,	" "	Rockingham National Bank	
			on note . . . . .	1,000.00
	29,	" "	Lawrence Spencer, 1937 dog	
			tax . . . . .	1.85
Apr.	2,	" "	Alice J. Coe,	
			1937 property tax. \$184.05	
			interest . . . . .	4.05
			polls . . . . .	24.00
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				\$212.10



Apr.	4,	Received from Edward and Mary Handy,	
		March relief refund . . . . .	\$12.00
	7,	" " Minnie R. Fernald, cemetery	
		lot . . . . .	20.00
	15,	" " state treasurer, 20 per cent of	
		March relief . . . . .	15.84
	20,	" " town clerk, 50 auto permits .	161.30
	27,	" " Lucy W. Battles, labor and	
		material . . . . .	3.95
May	4,	" " Edward and Mary Handy, re-	
		fund on April relief . . . . .	12.00
	7,	" " town clerk, dog license . . . . .	40.00
	7,	" " Alice J. Coe,	
		1937 property tax. \$107.77	
		interest . . . . .	2.64
		polls . . . . .	8.00
			<hr/> 118.41
	25,	" " Eugene Austin, Lot No. 14 in	
		Newfields Cemetery . . . . .	20.00
	25,	" " Rockingham National Bank	
		on note . . . . .	500.00
June	4,	" " Edward and Mary Handy,	
		account May relief . . . . .	12.00
	4,	" " Alice J. Coe,	
		1937 property tax. \$121.81	
		interest . . . . .	6.81
			<hr/> \$128.62
	8,	" " town clerk, dog license . . . . .	21.00
July	4,	" " state treasurer, relief refund . .	12.61
	4,	" " Edward and Mary Handy,	
		June relief refund . . . . .	12.00
	4,	" " Alice J. Coe,	
		1938 property tax \$1,794.60	
		polls . . . . .	88.00
			<hr/> \$1,882.60

July 21,			Received from state treasurer, 15 per cent of	
			May relief .....	\$7.60
Aug. 2,	"	"	Edward and Mary Handy,	
			July relief refund .....	12.00
2,	"	"	Eva G. Hayden, filing fee for	
			supervisor .....	1.00
2,	"	"	R. Althea Bean, filing fee for	
			supervisor .....	1.00
2,	"	"	Bert P. Doe, filing fee for	
			supervisor .....	1.00
2,	"	"	Perley R. Bean, filing fee for	
			moderator .....	1.00
2,	"	"	Daniel R. Smith, filing fee for	
			representative .....	2.00
6,	"	"	Alice J. Coe,	
			1937 property tax.	\$164.90
			polls .....	2.00
			interest .....	8.71
			1938 property .....	4,312.39
			polls .....	72.00
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				\$4,560.00
11,	"	"	Irene Jewell, rent of Town Hall	5.00
23,	"	"	School District for wood .....	10.00
Sept. 2,	"	"	town clerk, 34 auto permits .	84.95
4,	"	"	Edward and Mary Handy,	
			account August relief .....	12.00
4,	"	"	Alice J. Coe,	
			1937 property tax.	\$321.51
			poll tax .....	6.00
			interest .....	20.49
			1938 property .....	175.51
			poll tax .....	20.00
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				\$543.51
4,	"	"	town clerk, dog license .....	40.00

Oct. 5,		Received from Edward and Mary Handy, account September relief...	\$12.00
5,	" "	Alice J. Coe, 1937 property tax.	\$238.41
		polls. ....	2.00
		interest. ....	18.50
		1938 property ....	139.76
		polls. ....	10.00
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			\$408.67
21,		Rockingham County, refund	6.53
29,	" "	Good Will Rebekah Lodge, Town Hall rent. ....	8.00
Nov. 2,	" "	Edward and Mary Handy, account October relief refund	12.00
5,	" "	Alice J. Coe, 1938 property tax.	\$545.53
		poll. ....	28.00
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			\$573.53
8,	" "	Young People, rent of Town Hall. ....	5.00
8,	" "	selectmen, sale of old lamps. . .	6.00
22,	" "	Rockingham County, relief refund. ....	3.10
Dec. 3,	" "	Alice J. Coe, 1938 property tax.	\$903.34
		poll. ....	10.00
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			\$913.34
3,	" "	town clerk, dog license. ....	10.28
5,	" "	Rockingham National Bank on note. ....	1,500.00
5,	" "	Edward and Mary Handy, November relief refund. . . .	12.00



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Jan. Received from Alice J. Coe,

1938 property tax \$118.19

poll ..... 4.00

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\$122.19

7,	"	"	selectmen, redeemed taxes ...	72.66
7,	"	"	town clerk, 16 auto permits .	20.00
14,	"	"	Edward and Mary Handy,	
			account Dec. relief refund..	12.00
16,	"	"	Piscataqua Pioneers, rent of	
			Town Hall.....	5.00
16,	"	"	county treasurer, relief fund..	22.75
16,	"	"	Rockingham National Bank,	
			town note.....	1,000.00
17,	"	"	town clerk, balance of dog tax	4.85
21,	"	"	state treasurer,	
			railroad tax..	\$687.46
			savings bank	440.67

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\$1,128.13

21,	"	"	interest and dividend tax	1,653.88
28,	"	"	George Monaghan, Town Hall	
			rent.....	13.00
28,	"	"	Edward Kendall, 2 cords wood	10.00
30,	"	"	E. C. Patridge, refund on note	512.50
31,	"	"	Tercentenary committee re-	
			fund.....	92.18
31,	"	"	selectmen, redeemed taxes ...	13.56
31,	"	"	Alice J. Coe,	
			1936 poll taxes ...	\$16.00
			1937 " "	22.00
			interest.....	.97
			1938 property....	312.41
			polls.....	114.00
			interest.....	3.55

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\$468.93

Jan. 31, Received from town clerk, 3 auto permits . . . .	\$3.17
accountant's correction . . . . .	.17
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	\$19,075.41

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Paid selectmen's orders . . . . .	\$17,852.94
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Balance in Newmarket National Bank . . . . .	\$1,222.47

E. C. PATRIDGE,

*Treasurer.*

## DETAIL STATEMENTS OF PAYMENTS

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

William G. Nixon, selectman . . . . .	\$50.00
Edward Kendall, selectman . . . . .	50.00
Edward Kendall, clerk of board of selectmen . .	25.00
Alfred Conner, Jr., selectman . . . . .	50.00
Leslie H. Hayden, auditor . . . . .	5.00
Eugene C. Patridge, town treasurer . . . . .	40.00
Eugene C. Patridge, town clerk . . . . .	35.00
Eugene C. Patridge, issuing auto permits . . . .	37.50
John Finn, dog officer . . . . .	5.00
Alice J. Coe, collecting taxes . . . . .	153.02
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Total . . . . .	\$450.52

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Edward Quimby, Corona adding machine . . . .	\$50.00
Daniel Lynch, stamps . . . . .	12.70
Batchelder's Bookstore, post binders . . . . .	11.50
Estate John Templeton, town reports . . . . .	100.00
Francis Gray, town bonds . . . . .	42.00

Edson C. Eastman, selectmen's supplies .....	\$9.59
A. W. Rowell, tax association .....	2.00
Frank B. Nay, recording .....	.40
George W. Paul, strong box for trust fund .....	3.25
John W. A. Green, copying transfers .....	3.40
Leslie Hayden, stamps .....	.60
Edward Kendall, copying inventory .....	5.00
Edward Kendall, taking Bonner boy to CCC camp .....	4.50
Edward Kendall, supplies .....	1.60
William G. Nixon, supplies .....	5.55
Alice J. Coe, cost of tax sales .....	37.50
William G. Nixon, telephone calls .....	4.55
William G. Nixon, attending tax meeting .....	4.50
W. P. Garrison, auto guide .....	3.75
James E. Gray, trust fund expenses .....	7.50
Eugene C. Patridge, attending tax meeting .....	4.50
Alice J. Coe, attending tax meeting .....	4.50
Batchelder & Wheeler, legal advice .....	17.20
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Total .....	\$336.09

#### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Royal Mayo, ballot clerk .....	\$2.50
Christine Hogan, ballot clerk .....	5.00
Gladys Smith, ballot clerk .....	12.50
Mary B. Hallinan .....	10.00
Dorothy Connor, ballot clerk .....	7.50
Fred S. Foss .....	5.00
John Templeton, supplies and ballots .....	25.50
Good Will Rebekah Lodge, dinners .....	14.90
Bert P. Doe, supervisor .....	10.00
R. Althea Bean, supervisor .....	10.00
Perley R. Bean, moderator .....	15.00
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Total .....	\$117.90



## TOWN HALL EXPENSES

W. A. McGaughey, labor on pump .....	\$5.97
James T. Lavallee, labor on lights .....	5.81
Donald W. Smith, two cords pine wood .....	4.00
R. E. Sargent, five cords hard wood .....	25.00
W. A. Young, alcohol and shellac .....	4.90
Hy Gene Laboratory, Inc., labor refinishing floors .....	52.00
Harold M. Poore, tuning piano .....	3.00
Fred M. Greenlow, repairs on roof .....	11.70
James A. Spead, window cleaner and soap .....	.45
William G. Nixon, hauling wood and labor .....	20.25
Perley R. Bean, sawing wood .....	8.00
Leon Spencer, cutting trees .....	1.60
George Monaghan, janitor service and repairs ..	51.45
Leroy P. Otis, sawing wood .....	6.40
Perley R. Bean, sawing wood .....	6.00
New Hampshire Gas and Electric Co., lights ..	34.72
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Total .....	\$241.25
Refunds, rent of hall .....	36.00
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Total cost to town .....	\$205.25

## POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPENSES

James E. Gray, watching July 3, 4, 5, and gas ..	\$7.50
James E. Gray, police service for year .....	12.00
John J. Finn, watching, July 3, 4, 5 .....	6.00
John J. Finn, police services for year .....	13.00
Exeter News-Letter, one pad of summons .....	2.00
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Total .....	\$40.50

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Caverhill Oil Supply, range oil .....	\$21.46
James A. Spead, supplies .....	2.00
James A. Spead, gas and oil .....	3.80

George P. Kimball & Sons, rubber stoppers . . .	\$0.90
Patridge Agency, insurance . . . . .	15.63
Francis N. Gray, insurance . . . . .	15.63
Carl Stockbridge, supplies . . . . .	14.69
Perley R. Bean, fire chief for six months . . . . .	2.50
Robert T. Barker, fire chief for six months . . . . .	3.25
Total . . . . .	<hr/> \$79.86

#### MOTH EXTERMINATION

John Griffin, creosote . . . . .	\$1.10
Town of Exeter, spraying town trees . . . . .	50.00
Total . . . . .	<hr/> \$51.10

#### DAMAGE BY DOGS

Earl Price, hens killed by dogs . . . . .	\$5.00
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#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Howard Pease, cleaning dump . . . . .	\$1.60
Howard Pease, work on fence . . . . .	4.80
W. A. Young, supplies for fence . . . . .	4.03
Exeter Lumber Co., cedar post and wire for fence . . . . .	5.44
William G. Nixon, truck and labor on fence . . . . .	1.25
Leander Spencer, cleaning and burning dump . . . . .	7.20
Clarence Thompson, cleaning and burning dump . . . . .	4.00
Leroy Otis, cleaning and burning dump . . . . .	1.60
Royal Mayo, health officer . . . . .	10.00
Total . . . . .	<hr/> \$39.92

#### STREET LIGHTING

New Hampshire Gas and Electric Co., street lights . . . . .	<hr/> \$874.66
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## GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

George P. Kimball, drain pipe .....	\$9.75
James A. Spead, gas and oil for loader .....	8.25
Charles W. Trafton, welding snow blade .....	21.25
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$39.25</b>

## LIBRARY

Charles H. Chase, wood .....	\$21.00
Albert Hanscomb, painting and papering .....	15.50
Batchelder's Bookstore, wallpaper .....	3.00
Perley R. Bean, labor on shelves .....	8.50
Exeter Lumber Co., lumber for shelves .....	15.04
Francis N. Gray, janitor services .....	26.00
Mrs. Edna A. H. Paul, librarian services .....	75.00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$164.04</b>

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Rockingham County Commissioners, town share	\$151.20
State of New Hampshire, town share .....	127.50
Mrs. A. W. Evans, wheelchair .....	5.00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$283.70</b>
Refunds .....	144.00
<b>Total cost to town</b> .....	<b>\$139.70</b>

## TOWN POOR

A. W. Neal, wood .....	\$9.00
Leslie Hayden, milk .....	5.60
Richard Sargent, five cords of wood .....	25.00
Dr. John B. Butler, professional services .....	2.00
Francis Hand, professional services .....	5.00
London Store, clothing for poor .....	2.93
Juliette P. Conner, clothing for poor .....	3.04

Mitchell Memorial Hospital, board .....	\$22.75
F. A. Filion, coal .....	30.38
Marion Stillings, services .....	51.00
Leon Spencer, labor .....	1.20
A. S. Kenniston, wood .....	3.00
Wallace Ayer, repairing roof .....	3.60
James A. Spead, food .....	171.01
New Hampshire Gas and Electric Co., lights ..	18.00
E. S. Jamer, milk .....	18.18
William G. Nixon, overseer of poor .....	10.00
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Total .....	\$381.69
Refunds from state .....	42.24
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Total cost to town .....	\$339.45

#### MEMORIAL DAY

Bertha S. Libby, wreaths and flags .....	\$40.00
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#### AID TO SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

A. W. Neal, wood .....	\$18.00
Caverhill Oil Supply, oil .....	4.95
James A. Spead, food .....	192.00
Ellen Syvertsen, rent .....	36.56
E. S. Jamer, milk .....	48.40
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Total .....	\$299.91
Refund from state .....	42.24
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Total cost to town .....	\$257.67

#### PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Louis Bume, playground .....	\$15.00
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## CEMETERIES' EXPENSES

D. J. Brady, repairing lawnmower .....	\$2.00
W. A. Young, paint .....	1.25
John H. Griffin, paint .....	.90
Leander Spencer, mowing grass .....	19.20
William G. Nixon, mowing and hauling grass ..	9.25
Clarence Thompson, mowing grass .....	16.80
Leroy Otis, mowing grass .....	18.80
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Total .....	\$68.20

## TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Alice J. Coe, taxes bought by town .....	\$212.28
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## ABATEMENTS REFUNDED

George Clark, abatements, heifer .....	\$1.59
Alice J. Coe, adjustment collecting 1938 taxes ..	10.10
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Total .....	\$11.69

## INTEREST ON LOANS

Eugene C. Patridge .....	\$62.50
Robert E. Nixon .....	16.67
Rockingham National Bank .....	41.66
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Total .....	\$120.83
Refunds .....	12.50
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Total cost to town .....	\$108.33

## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION ON ROADS

State of New Hampshire, town's share .....	\$75.23
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### PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOANS

Eugene C. Patridge .....	\$2,500.00
Robert E. Nixon .....	500.00
Rockingham National Bank .....	1,000.00
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Total .....	\$4,000.00
Refund .....	500.00
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Total .....	\$3,500.00

### PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Taxes paid to state treasurer .....	\$804.00
Taxes paid to county treasurer .....	1,921.22
Payment to school district .....	5,100.00
Payment to school district, dog tax .....	116.63
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Total .....	\$7,941.85

### TERCENTENARY CELEBRATION

Exeter Lumber Co., lumber .....	\$17.43
Arnold B. Belcher, eight photos .....	11.00
Hooper Howe Costume Co., costumes .....	11.95
Lithograph Sales Service, booklets .....	86.47
Harold Lang, shoeing horses .....	7.00
Exeter News-Letter, printing invitations .....	5.60
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Total .....	\$139.45
Refund from tercentenary committee .....	92.18
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Total cost to town .....	\$47.27

### SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Regional Seacoast Development Association ...	\$32.02
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# Report of Highway Agent

## TOWN MAINTENANCE

### *Rate:*

Foreman at \$0.50 per hour. Labor at \$0.40 per hour.

Trucks at \$0.85 per hour.

Truck with snowplow at \$1.50 per hour. Truck with snow blade at \$1.35 per hour.

### *Winter Work:*

D. Perry Smith, and truck, sanding icy roads .....	\$58.05
William G. Nixon, and truck, sanding icy roads .....	40.63
Ben Merrill, labor, sanding icy roads ...	16.00
Royal Mayo, labor, sanding icy roads ..	20.40
Wallace Ayer, labor, sanding icy roads ..	10.60
Earl Price, labor, sanding icy roads ....	.80
Clarence Thompson, labor, sanding icy roads .....	12.60
Leon Spencer, labor, sanding icy roads ..	1.00
James Bennett, labor, sanding icy roads ..	.40
D. Perry Smith, and truck, plowing snow	126.00
William G. Nixon, and truck, plowing snow .....	42.00
Royal Mayo, labor, plowing snow .....	11.20
Clarence Thompson, labor, plowing snow ..	1.60
Ben Merrill, labor, plowing snow .....	7.20
Earl Price, labor, plowing snow .....	4.60
Wallace Ayer, labor, plowing snow ....	7.20
Daniel R. Smith, and horse, breaking sidewalks .....	2.25

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Total .....	\$363.33
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*Summer Work:*

D. Perry Smith, and truck, repairs on all dirt roads .....	\$27.00
William G. Nixon, and truck, repairs on all dirt roads .....	4.80
Royal Mayo, labor on dirt roads .....	2.40
D. Perry Smith, and truck, patching roads .....	26.80
William G. Nixon, and truck, patching roads .....	7.50
Alton Wilson, labor, patching roads ...	2.20
Wallace Ayer, labor, patching roads ...	1.60
Earl Price, labor, patching roads .....	1.60
Robert Morrell, labor, patching roads ..	.80
Standard Oil of New York, three barrels cold patch .....	24.86
D. Perry Smith, and truck, cleaning up streets .....	35.20
William G. Nixon, and truck, cleaning up streets .....	5.00
Wallace Ayer, labor, cleaning up streets	14.40
James Bennett, labor, cleaning up streets	2.40
Robert Morrell, labor, cleaning up streets	2.00
D. Perry Smith, and truck, cleaning up leaves .....	28.90
William G. Nixon, and truck, cleaning up leaves .....	18.75
Royal Mayo, labor on leaves and shoul- ders .....	12.80
Roy Otis, labor on leaves and shoulders	11.80
Clarence Thompson, labor on leaves and and shoulders .....	11.80
Earl Smith, labor on leaves and shoulders	12.80
Earl Price, labor on leaves and shoulders	10.60
Total .....	<hr/> \$266.01



## NEW CONSTRUCTION, PLEASANT STREET

D. Perry Smith, and truck	\$93.95
William G. Nixon, and truck	36.25
Albert Walkling, and truck	36.25
Royal Mayo, labor	11.60
Earl Smith, labor	11.60
Roy Otis, labor	11.60
Ben Merrill, labor	16.40
Peter Finn, labor	11.60
Earl Price, labor	11.60
Clarence Thompson, labor	11.60
Leander Spencer, labor	.40
Walter Martin, labor	8.40
Arthur LeBranche, loader	17.50
Sanborn Estate, gravel	25.50
Total	<hr/> \$304.25

## OILING TOWN STREETS

D. Perry Smith, and truck, hauling sand	\$34.10
William G. Nixon, and truck, hauling sand	31.88
Albert Walkling, and truck, hauling sand	20.63
Earl Smith, labor	10.40
Roy Otis, labor	9.40
Earl Price, labor	10.20
Clarence Thompson, labor	9.80
Ben Merrill, labor	7.20
Royal Mayo, labor	10.40
Peter Finn, labor	6.80
Walter Martin, labor	6.80
James Peverly, labor	6.80
Willis Button, labor	3.40
Walter Goodreau, labor	3.40
Leon Spencer, labor	1.80
Mrs. C. C. Littlefield, sand	5.70
H. H. McGuire & Co., 3,750 gal. asphalt	412.50
Total	<hr/> \$591.21

## FLOOD AND HURRICANE

*Repairing Roads and Cutting Trees:*

D. Perry Smith, and truck .....	\$75.60
William G. Nixon, and truck .....	57.40
Royal Mayo, labor .....	29.60
Leander Spencer, labor .....	1.20
George Caswell, labor .....	1.60
Peter Finn, labor .....	14.40
James Peverly, labor .....	3.20
Clarence Thompson, labor .....	15.20
Frank Monaghan, labor .....	4.40
Earl Smith, labor .....	12.40
Ben Merrill, labor .....	4.40
Roy Otis, labor .....	11.20
Albert Walkling, and truck .....	20.00
Earl Price, labor .....	5.60
Arthur LeBranche, loader .....	10.00
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Total .....	\$266.20

# TRUST FUNDS--TOWN OF NFWFIELDS, N. H., JANUARY 31, 1939

## TRUST FUNDS-- PURPOSE OF CREATION

	Created	How Invested	Principal	Rate of Interest	Town Report, 1938 Shows Balance On hand Jan. 31, 1938	Income During Year	Total Available Funds for Year	Expenditures	Total Expenditures	Balance Jan. 31, 1939
LIBRARY FUND										
John M. and Josephine Broadhead.....	1901	U. S. Bonds	\$11,100.00	2¾-27-8-3¼%	\$191.61	\$333.75	\$525.36	\$293.65	\$293.65	\$231.71
		N. M. Bank	547.29	2%	547.29	9.45	556.74	.....	.....	556.74
CARE TOWN HALL GROUNDS										
Isabel Paul.....	1930	U. S. Treasury	500.00	4¼%	24.14	21.59	45.73	18.20	18.20	27.53
CEMETERY FUNDS										
William L. Walker.....	1887	UNITED STATES BONDS	1,000.00	2¾% - 27-8% - 3¼%						
Green C. Fowler.....	1903		200.00							
Joseph Allen.....	1911		200.00							
Carrie Dearborn and Sarah Rider.....	1916		100.00							
Charles W. Palmer.....	1917		100.00							
Mary E. Chase.....	1922		100.00							
Austin J. Neal and Harry K. Torrey.....	1926		100.00							
John Francis Kennard.....	1927		100.00							
Charles E. Austin and Nellie A. Randall.....	1927		200.00							
Camelia M. Perry, Gibson lot.....	1929		100.00							
Hilton Burleigh.....	1929		100.00							
Angela P. Ingram, Joseph Kelly lot.....	1923		50.00							
Laura A. Dixon, Neal lot, Piscassic Cemetery.....	1931		200.00							
Lucy N. Sanborn.....	1926		100.00							
Albert Field.....	1935		200.00							
F. O. Kuse.....	1936		200.00							
Hollis Pease Lot, Piscassic Cemetery.....	1934		150.00							
Lyons Lot.....	1936		200.00							
Relatives of the late James P. Smith Lot.....	1936		150.00							
Joseph Pease Lot, Piscassic Cemetery.....	1936		150.00							
Total Cemetery Trust Funds Revenue and Expenditures.....					\$66.61	\$112.12	\$178.73	\$131.90	\$131.90	\$46.83

JAMES E. GRAY,  
ROBERT E. NIXON, } Trustees of Trust Funds.

Audited 2-20-39.

A. W. JOHNSON, C. P. A.

## LIBRARY EXPENDITURES

January 31st, 1938, to January 31st, 1939

1938

Mar.	21,	Jean Karr, books	\$38.24
	21,	DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	17.78
	21,	Emma P. Conner, books	2.00
	21,	Daniel J. Lynch, envelopes	1.00
Apr.	14,	DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	13.73
July	1,	Exeter News-Letter Co., Exeter News-Letter for one year	1.50
	1,	The Old Corner Book Store, books	44.02
Sept.	9,	DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	27.47
	9,	Emma P. Conner, books	9.75
Oct.	17,	DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	21.15
Dec.	10,	S. F. Claflin Agency, magazines for one year	37.50
	10,	Junior Literary Guild, books	15.96
	10,	The Old Corner Book Store, books	38.12
	16,	The Old Corner Book Store, books	7.43
	16,	DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books	18.00

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Total expenditures .....\$293.65

ROBERT E. NIXON,

JAMES E. GRAY,

*Trustees of Trust Funds.***In Memoriam****Joseph Carter****Trustee of Trust Funds****1934-1938**



## CARE OF TOWN HALL GROUNDS

1938

*Expenditures:*

Paid to L. P. Otis for care of Town Hall grounds:	
Month of April:	
Cleaning shrubbery .....	\$2.40
Mowing grass in back of Town Hall ...	1.80
Mowing lawn .....	.80
Month of May:	
Mowing grass and raking lawn .....	3.20
Month of June:	
Mowing grass and raking lawn .....	2.80
Month of July:	
Mowing grass .....	1.80
Month of August:	
Mowing grass and raking lawn .....	2.20
Month of September:	
Mowing grass .....	1.60
Month of October:	
Mowing grass .....	.80
January 3, 1939: Trimming shrubbery ...	.80
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Total expenditures .....	\$18.20

*Revenue:*

Cash in bank as shown in town report January	
31, 1938 .....	\$24.14
Interest April 1, 1938 .....	.16
Interest October 1, 1938 .....	.18
Interest of government bond of \$500.00 .....	21.25
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Total available for year .....	\$45.73
Total expenditures for year .....	18.20
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Balance on hand in New Market National Bank. \$27.53

JAMES E. GRAY,

ROBERT E. NIXON,

*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

## CEMETERY EXPENDITURES

From January 31, 1938, to January 31, 1939

RATE OF WAGES, \$0.40 PER HOUR

1938

## Month of March:

James E. Gray, work on Walker lot, Neal lot and Randall lot .....	\$1.60
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## Month of April:

John Griffin, lawn seed .....	5.60
John Griffin, phosphate for lots .....	1.75
John Griffin, lawn rake .....	.25
J. A. Spead, lawn seed .....	.50
D. Perry Smith, hauling loam .....	3.25
D. Perry Smith, hauling rubbish .....	2.50
L. P. Otis, work on Fowler lot .....	.80
W. J. Ayers, grading, seeding and mowing lots .....	16.40
James E. Gray, grading and seeding lots at Rockingham and Piscassic .....	5.20
James E. Gray, grading and mowing lots in Locust Grove .....	7.20

## Month of May:

L. P. Otis, mowing cemetery for Memorial Day .....	14.00
L. P. Otis, mowing lots .....	6.00
James E. Gray, mowing lots in Piscassic, Lo- cust Grove and Rockingham .....	8.80
D. Perry Smith, hauling away grass .....	1.25
W. J. Ayers, mowing lots in Piscassic and Lo- cust Grove .....	5.60

## Month of June:

W. J. Ayers, mowing lots in Locust Grove ...	9.80
W. J. Ayers, mowing lots in Rockingham ...	.80
W. J. Ayers, mowing lots in Piscassic .....	2.00
L. P. Otis, mowing lots in Locust Grove .....	3.20
James E. Gray, mowing lots in Piscassic ...	1.60

James E. Gray, mowing lots in Rockingham	\$1.80
James E. Gray, mowing lots in Locust Grove	3.40
Month of July:	
W. J. Ayers, mowing lots in Locust Grove ..	2.60
James E. Gray, mowing lots in Locust Grove	2.40
James E. Gray, mowing lots in Rockingham and Piscassic .....	.80
Month of August:	
James E. Gray, mowing lots in Rockingham and Piscassic .....	1.40
L. P. Otis, mowing lots in Locust Grove ....	2.40
W. J. Ayers, mowing lots in Locust Grove ..	3.20
James E. Gray, mowing and raking in Locust Grove .....	6.60
Month of September:	
James E. Gray, mowing and clearing brush in Locust Grove .....	5.20
L. P. Otis, mowing and clearing brush in Lo- cust Grove .....	4.00
Total expenditures .....	\$131.90

JAMES E. GRAY,  
ROBERT E. NIXON,

*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

This is to certify that I have audited the books of Town of Newfields, N. H., for the period February 1, 1938, to January 30, 1939. The report as presented to the selectmen is in accord with the books and records as given to me and to the best of my knowledge and belief presents the true standing of the town's records.

A. W. JOHNSON,  
*Certified Public Accountant.*

# Library Report

## FOR 1938

Number of volumes added during the year . . . . .	163
Number of volumes in circulation during the year	4,126
Fiction . . . . .	2,747
Juvenile . . . . .	579
Periodicals . . . . .	344
Other classes . . . . .	456

## PRESENTED

A Book Holder by Mr. James Peverly.  
The New Hampshire Troubadour.  
Library Lantern by Durham Public Library.  
Bulletin of the University of New Hampshire.  
Flood and Gale in New Hampshire, 1938.  
Copies of Yankee Pilot and State Reports.

## PERIODICALS

1939

American.  
American Boy.  
American Girl.  
Atlantic Monthly.  
Better Homes and Gardens.  
Child Life.  
Garden Digest.  
Good Housekeeping.  
Harper's Magazine.  
Horticulture.  
Hygeia.  
Ladies' Home Journal.  
National Geographic Magazine.  
National Parent-Teacher.

Nature Magazine.  
 Popular Mechanics.  
 Science Monthly.  
 Readers' Digest.  
 Woman's Home Companion.  
 Exeter News-Letter.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance from 1937 .....	\$11.09
Received from fines .....	10.40
Received for discarded books .....	.85
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	\$22.34
Paid Rochester Courier for 200 borrower's cards .....	\$5.24
Gaylord Brothers, New York, one bor- rower's register .....	1.25
Two band dates .....	1.00
One quart galo .....	.90
Encyclopedia Supplement .....	1.04
Postage and stationery .....	1.78
Post office box .....	.60
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	\$11.81
Balance .....	\$10.53

EDNA A. H. PAUL,  
*Librarian.*



## Newfields Tercentenary Observance of Historical Data

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On February 1st, 1938, Newfields, as a former part of the town of Exeter, was requested by their Committee to participate with them in celebrating the Tercentenary Observance of its Founding.

While Newfields' claims are for an *earlier* settlement here (1635), our town realized in 1935 that it had neither the money nor the people for a proper demonstration of so great an event. It accepted, therefore, this opportunity for an active part in Exeter's Program and generously gave of its help in making the Exeter Parade on July 4th "the largest and best ever held in the good old town." So successful were its efforts that the Newfields Historical Float in that Parade was awarded second prize,—a silver cup.

Newfields had its important place in Exeter's four days' celebration on Friday, the 1st of July, from 2 to 5 P. M. A thousand people is the conservatively estimated number who thronged Main Street and entered into the town's most interesting activities.

This event, so largely concerned with the old families whose ancestry dated back to those pioneer days of the town's settlement, brought out that splendid spirit of co-operation, the town's best asset. Every organization responded to make of this a memorable day in the town's historical data.

The March town meeting voted \$150; the Selectmen worked untiringly in its development; Committees, representing the town's large groups, put zeal and interest and labor into all their plans; and the chairman, Daniel R. Smith, scored marked approbation in his leadership that brought to a successful close the Newfields Tercentenary Observance of Historical Data.

DOROTHY E. CONNOR,

*Secretary.*

## School Warrant

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newfields qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of March, 1939, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To choose a Member of the School Board for one year to finish Mr. Pollard's unexpired term.
10. To raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred (\$200.00) dollars to paint the School House.

Given under our hands at said Newfields this 27th day of February, 1939.

LESLIE F. HAYDEN,  
GLADYS M. SMITH,  
*School Board of Newfields.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LESLIE F. HAYDEN,  
GLADYS M. SMITH,  
*School Board of Newfields.*

## Report of School Board

The annual meeting of the School District was held at the Town Hall, March 8, 1938, at 7.30 in the evening. The following officers were elected: Perley R. Bean, moderator; Robert E. Nixon, clerk; Francis N. Gray, treasurer; Gladys M. Smith, member of School Board for three years; E. C. Patridge, auditor.

The school board met and organized. Leslie F. Hayden was elected chairman.

The school board desires to express its appreciation of the untiring efforts of Superintendent Towle to make our school a credit to the town. We also wish to acknowledge the continued co-operation of the Parents and Teachers.

### REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

*To the School Board of Newfields, New Hampshire:*

I take pleasure in submitting my annual report as Superintendent of Schools, the twentieth in the series.

The following paragraph, addressed to the combined school boards of all the districts in Supervisory Union Number Sixteen, is included in my reports to each of the several districts:

“Through the twenty years since the enactment of the almost revolutionary equalization school law of 1919, you and your predecessors, to the number of sixty, have brought to the schools of your individual districts not only the best of your thought and effort, but you have continuously shown such mutual co-operation as to make this law workable and productive of the best results in all the schools of Union Number Sixteen. This expenditure

of time and effort by you is of the very essence of good citizenship. When individual willingness to serve is combined with such co-operation as school officials, parents and citizens in general have practiced in this Union, then the greatest good results. Since the children who were born in the year this law took effect have now finished the high school grades, a school generation attests the merits of your co-operative, democratic service."

At the present time the Newfields schools contain forty pupils as against a total registration of forty-five during the school year which ended last June. The annual achievement tests made last June in the elementary grades and the marks given at the same time for high school work, indicate a commendable effort on the part of pupils to assimilate what the schools provide. The wide variation of ability, always to be found in any group of pupils, produces a similar variety of school marks, some high, some low; but if marked for effort alone, or for effort and good citizenship, practically all our pupils would have high marks. It is our good fortune to have teachers of experience, skill and sympathetic understanding of child life, who insure a continuance of good pupil achievement.

The usual statistical tables following this report, whose general contents I heartily commend to your study, contain one item, that of attendance in Table IV, of special note. Newfields had the best attendance record in the Union last year. Few districts in the state have a higher record.

The pupils of the Newfields schools made a good start in music under the guidance which Mr. Wilson gave them during his few years of teaching here. The work

continues in a commendable manner under the direction of Mr. Hawkins.

I feel that in the matter of music, as in many other school affairs, both specific and general, the members of the Parent-Teacher Association and many other citizens are much interested. It is also a fine experience for our children to have the advantage of a summer playground and a director who can provide such pleasant and profitable occupations for our children in school vacations.

The part which the school plays in the health of the community is again ably directed by Mrs. Sheehy, who deserves all the interest and help that officials and parents can give her. The districts to which Mrs. Sheehy gives her attention are well served.

While Newfields has a school system to be proud of and a commendable physical plant, we nevertheless should look forward constantly to the ideal. For this reason I have two recommendations to make. The first, that flush toilets be installed, seems the more important. With our splendid water supply, I believe the installation could easily be made at small expense. I believe that the health and morals of forty-odd children living for much of the day in one small school house would be greatly benefited by this improvement. In the second place, I would recommend that an oil burner be installed. It can safely be predicted that fuel cost would be no more than at present. The advantages to be gained include, first, a more evenly produced heat, procurable when needed and controllable on warm days, and, second, the use of all of the janitor's time for cleaning and repairs.

I often hear those immediately in daily charge of our pupils and all their various activities remark on the co-operation they receive from school officials and parents. I take this opportunity publicly to express the appre-



ciative thoughts which both the teachers and the superintendent have on this matter. Actions, however, are better than words, so we pledge our best services for the children of Newfields.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFTON A. TOWLE,

*Superintendent of Supervisory Union No. 16.*

EXETER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, February 7, 1939.

### REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

*To the Superintendent of Schools and the School Board,  
Newfields, New Hampshire:*

Following are the health activities in the Newfields schools from January first, 1938, to January first, 1939:

Number of pupils examined . . . . .	43
Pupils weighed and measured . . . . .	43
Vision tested . . . . .	43
Examination of tonsils . . . . .	43
Examination of teeth . . . . .	43
Pupils found to have defective teeth . .	27
Pupils found to have defective tonsils	2
Pupils found to have defective vision	6
All children are vaccinated.	
Pupils who had dental treatment . . . .	24
Vision corrected . . . . .	5
Tonsilectomies performed . . . . .	2
Total number of visits to schools . . . .	22

I wish to take this opportunity to thank our Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Towle, the School Board, Teachers, the people of Newfields, the Red Cross and Parent-Teacher Association for their co-operation and help.

Respectfully submitted,

ELOISE SHEEHY, R.N.

NEWFIELDS, N. H., February 10, 1939.

TABLE I  
NEWFIELDS PUPILS

TOTAL ENROLLMENT JANUARY 1, 1939													
Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Primary School ...	7	11	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Grammar School ..	0	0	0	3	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Exeter High School	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	1	0	0	8
Phillips-Exeter Academy .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Robinson Seminary	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	5	3	3	1	20
St. Michael's, Exeter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Tilton School .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total .....	7	11	7	3	6	6	7	5	10	4	3	2	71

TABLE II  
NEWFIELDS SCHOOL  
STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938

Grades	Weeks in Year	Number of Boys	Number of Girls	Total Pupils	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent. of Attendance	Cases of Tardiness	Visits of Superintendent	Visits of Others
One-Three	38	8	15	23	18.40	.78	19.18	95.93	18	27	111
Three-Six	38	11	11	22	20.19	.33	20.52	98.39	28	27	71

TABLE III  
NEWFIELDS SCHOOL  
STATISTICS FOR GRADES I TO VI FOR TEN YEARS ENDING  
JUNE 30, 1938

School Year	Weeks in Year	Boys	Girls	Total Pupils	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent. of Attendance	Cases of Tardiness	Visits of Superintendent	Visits of Others
1928-29	38	28	27	55	39.81	2.68	42.49	93.67	278	41	45
1929-30	38	18	22	40	36.51	1.44	37.95	96.16	98	40	59
1930-31	37	25	28	53	48.34	1.17	49.51	95.26	124	40	108
1931-32	37	25	27	52	41.86	2.22	44.08	94.96	130	38	75
1932-33	37	24	24	48	42.52	2.36	44.48	94.73	154	54	108
1933-34	38	26	22	48	42.87	2.47	45.34	94.55	91	54	152
1934-35	38	27	16	43	35.19	1.85	37.04	95.	48	52	156
1935-36	38	24	18	42	34.80	1.61	36.41	95.51	73	47	179
1936-37	38	24	18	42	36.41	1.83	38.24	95.21	42	52	172
1937-38	38	19	26	45	38.59	1.11	39.70	97.16	46	54	182

TABLE IV

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS IN THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS OF UNION No. 16  
SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938

District	No. of Pupils	Weeks in Year	Days of No School	Days of School	Per Pupil Cost	Average Salary of Teachers	District's Share of Superintendent's Salary	Per Capita Tax	Percent. of Attendance	State Aid Received
Exeter .....	683	37	12	173	\$79.74	\$1076.00	\$1587.75	\$1,518.00	96	.....
Greenland.....	109	39	15	180	90.88	933.34	109.60	298.00	96	2997.68
Kensington.....	66	37	11	174	56.84	783.34	78.00	162.00	95	577.04
Newfields.....	45	38	13	177	97.61	900.00	82.00	142.00	97	431.74
Stratham.....	76	37	12	175	108.03	975.00	142.65	210.00	95	919.95

TABLE V

COST OF EDUCATION IN NEWFIELDS PER \$1000 OF EQUALIZED  
VALUATION JULY 1, 1928-JUNE 30, 1938

District No. 1 had lowest cost—District No. 241 had highest cost

Newfields' Place in 241 Districts	Year	District	Local Cost	State Aid	Total Elementary Cost	High School Cost	Other Current Cost	Total Current Cost	Equalized Valuation
60	1927-28		\$4.67	.....	\$4.67	\$2.16	\$0.65	\$7.48	\$534082.00
86	1928-29		4.99	.....	4.99	2.57	.84	8.40	543493.00
60	1929-30		5.44	.....	5.44	1.51	.66	7.61	543493.00
40	1930-31		4.75	.....	4.75	1.22	.67	6.64	569067.00
69	1931-32		6.11	.....	6.11	1.26	.75	8.12	569067.00
145	1932-33		8.55	.....	8.55	2.01	.82	11.38	465771.00
138	1933-34		7.10	1.32	8.42	1.75	.69	10.86	465771.00
179	1934-35		8.83	1.72	10.55	2.34	.94	13.83	447969.00
118	1935-36		6.47	1.46	7.93	2.30	.73	10.96	447969.00
151	1936-37		7.94	1.59	9.53	2.60	.83	12.96	452071.00
145	1937-38		8.72	1.39	10.11	1.90	.90	12.91	452071.00

TABLE VI

COST OF EDUCATION IN UNION NO. 16 PER \$1000 OF EQUALIZED  
VALUATION — SCHOOL YEAR 1937-1938  
COMPARED WITH THAT OF MONROE AND ALSTEAD  
(The lowest and the highest in New Hampshire)

Number	District	Local District Cost	State Aid	Total Elementary Cost	High School Cost	Other Current Cost	Total Current Cost	Equalized Valuation
1	Monroe	\$1.89	\$0.00	\$1.89	\$0.53	\$0.66	\$3.08	\$9100477.00
19	Exeter	3.81	0.00	3.81	2.12	.73	6.66	8757494.00
145	Newfields	8.72	1.39	10.11	1.90	.90	12.91	452071.00
150	Stratham	7.67	2.16	9.83	2.54	.65	13.02	786129.00
197	Kensington	7.33	1.79	9.12	5.53	.82	15.47	430264.00
230	Greenland	6.65	5.07	11.72	7.14	.96	19.82	604393.00
241	Alstead	10.06	4.50	14.56	12.89	2.65	30.10	848167.00

TABLE VII

## NEWFIELDS SCHOOL

Attendance Honor Roll, 1937-1938

*Group I*

Perfect attendance for the full year, 38 weeks

Pauline Nichols

*Group II*

Perfect attendance for 29 weeks to 37 weeks

John Austin	John Monaghan
Franklin G. Barker	Ruth Monaghan
Robert P. Barker	Edward Nichols
Arnold M. Bonner	Estelle T. Nichols
Ruth A. Bradford	Lionel Nichols
James Burrows	Madeline Nichols
Ruth Dick	Yvette M. Nichols
Arthur Evans	Phyllis Pease
John R. W. Evans	D. Perry Smith, Jr.
Blaine R. Giles	Merilyn Smith
June P. Glass	Evelyn J. Spencer
Vernon R. Glass	Irving E. Spencer, Jr.
R. Albert Hanscomb	Muriel Spencer
Doris Kelley	Phyllis M. Spencer
Edward Kendall	Virginia A. Spencer
Marilyn B. Linscott	Ralph C. Starratt, Jr.
Harry A. S. Thompson, Jr.	

*Group III*

Perfect attendance for 19 weeks to 28 weeks

Myrtle Bonner	Bessie A. Hayden
Marjorie A. Hankin	Barbara Smith
Annie Thompson	

# TREASURER'S REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

From July 1, 1937, to June 30, 1938

Balance in treasury July 1, 1937 ... \$59.99

*Dr.*

From town treasurer .....	\$5,399.20
From state treasurer .....	431.74
From E. C. Patridge, dog tax .....	116.63
Rockingham National Bank, refund .....	1.00
Marion Kennison, tuition .....	15.00

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\$6,023.56

*Cr.*

Leila S. Mayo, teacher's salary .....	\$900.00
Gertrude Emerson, teacher's salary ..	900.00
Elementary School, tuitions .....	1,075.00
High School, tuitions .....	873.61
Eloise Sheehy, medical inspection ..	65.00
William Marshall, transportation ..	895.00
Charles Patten, per capita tax .....	134.00
James F. Hayden, janitor service ...	189.15
Alton Wilson, janitor service .....	106.00
Leander Spencer, janitor service ...	2.00
Wendell Hawkins, music teacher ...	125.00
New Hampshire Gas and Electric Co., lights .....	37.36
Fred Moore, clerical assistance ....	19.00
James F. Bennett, mowing .....	6.00
Fred Moore, superintendent's salary ..	82.00
Rockingham National Bank, check tax .....	1.00
Herbert W. Smith, fuel .....	11.00
Edgar F. Gray, fuel .....	3.50
Leslie F. Hayden, fuel .....	7.00
Pratt Coal Co., fuel .....	28.50
Patridge Insurance Agency, insurance ..	87.50
Montgomery Ward Co., motor .....	6.45



Francis Gray, electric clocks . . . . .	\$14.50
C. A. Pollard, school board's salary .	15.00
Gladys Smith, school board's salary .	15.00
Leslie Hayden, school board's salary	15.00
Francis Gray, treasurer's salary . . .	15.00
Francis Gray, treasurer's bond . . . .	4.00
C. A. Pollard, supervisor . . . . .	3.00
Gladys Smith, supervisor . . . . .	3.00
Leslie Hayden, supervisor . . . . .	3.00
Gladys Smith, school census . . . . .	2.00
Robert Nixon, clerk . . . . .	2.00
Perley R. Bean, moderator . . . . .	2.00
Eugene C. Patridge, auditor . . . . .	1.00
Francis Gray, postage . . . . .	2.85
Text books and school supplies . . . .	142.94
William A. Young, two locks and hardware . . . . .	15.70
James F. Hayden, minor repairs and expenses . . . . .	35.00
G. W. & C. A. Lane, supplies and la- bor on motor . . . . .	4.35
Perley R. Bean, installing locks . . . .	1.25
Alton Wilson, repairing blower and cleaning . . . . .	11.00
C. A. Pollard, minor repairs and ex- penses . . . . .	5.35
Ernest Chick, labor and supplies for blower . . . . .	2.50
A. J. Wilkinson, motor bushings . . .	.94
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	\$5,870.45
Cash in treasury June 30, 1938 . . .	\$153.11
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	\$6,023.56

FRANCIS M. GRAY,  
*Treasurer.*

## TREASURER'S REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

From June 30, 1938, to January 31, 1939

Balance in treasury June 30, 1938 .. \$153.11

*Dr.*

From town treasurer ..... \$2,900.00

From state treasurer ..... 557.96

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\$3,611.07*Cr.*

Leila S. Mayo, teacher's salary .... \$450.00

Gertrude Emerson, teacher's salary .. 450.00

Elementary School, tuitions ..... 320.00

High School, tuitions ..... 450.00

Eloise Sheehy, medical inspection .. 32.50

William Marshall, transportation .. 465.75

Charles Patten, per capita tax ..... 142.00

Edgar F. Gray, janitor service ..... 114.00

Wendell Hawkins, music teacher ... 62.50

New Hampshire Gas and Electric  
Co., lights ..... 11.96Fred A. Moore, superintendent's sal-  
ary ..... 82.00

Francis Gray, treasurer's bond .... 4.00

Town of Newfields, fuel ..... 10.00

James Bennett, mowing and cleaning  
yard ..... 3.37

W. G. Nixon, hauling wood ..... 3.00

Perley R. Bean, sawing wood ..... 2.75

W. G. Nixon, hauling gravel ..... 22.80

Text books and school supplies .... 108.95

Leander Spencer, cleaning ..... 21.60

Herman Patridge, plumbing and  
supplies ..... 5.14Joseph J. Hallinan, plumbing and  
supplies ..... 30.15

William A. Young, paint and oil . . .	\$5.85
Christopher Pollard, repairs and ex- penses . . . . .	1.89
Edgar F. Gray, repairs and expenses	10.00
Leroy Otis, cleaning . . . . .	4.00
Leslie F. Hayden, gasket and cement	1.35
Edwin C. Smith, cementing around well . . . . .	5.00
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	\$2,820.56
Cash in treasury January 31, 1939 . .	790.51
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	\$3,611.07
FRANCIS N. GRAY,	
<i>Treasurer.</i>	

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#### AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have audited the books of the School District of Newfields, N. H., for the periods July 1, 1937, to June 30, 1938, and July 1, 1938, to January 31, 1939. The report as presented to the school board is in accord with the books and records as given to me and to the best of my knowledge and belief presents the true standing of the records of the district.

A. W. JOHNSON,

*Certified Public Accountant.*

NEWFIELDS, N. H., FEBRUARY 20, 1939.

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1939-1940

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEWFIELDS

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1939.

*Detailed Statement of Expenditures*

*Support of schools:	Elementary Schools
Teachers' salaries .....	\$1,925.00
Text books .....	50.00
Scholars' supplies .....	50.00
Flags and appurtenances .....	5.00
Janitor service .....	240.00
Fuel .....	350.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies .....	50.00
Minor repairs and expenses .....	75.00
Health supervision (medical inspection) .....	65.00
Transportation of pupils .....	720.00
Payment of elementary tuitions ...	476.00
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	\$4,006.00

## Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district) .....	\$65.00
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district) .....	5.00
Payment of tuition in high schools and academies (estimated by board) ..	1,675.00
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by Supervisory Union) .....	82.00
Per capita tax (report of State Treasurer) .....	144.00
Expenses of administration .....	25.00
Insurance on boiler .....	40.00
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\$2,036.00

Total amount required to meet school board's budget .....	\$6,042.00
Estimated Income of District:	
State aid (December 1939 allotment) .....	\$564.48
Dog tax (estimate) .....	100.00
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Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation) .....	\$664.48
†Assessment required to balance School Board's budget .....	\$5,377.52
Special Appropriation Proposed (Articles in Warrant) :	
Painting school house .....	\$200.00
Balance required for year 1938-39 ..	2,600.00
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	\$2,800.00
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Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations .....	\$8,177.52

LESLIE F. HAYDEN,  
GLADYS M. SMITH,

*School Board.*

NEWFIELDS, N. H., FEBRUARY 26, 1939.

\*\$3.50 per \$1000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law in addition to per capita tax and salaries of district officers.

†\$5 per \$1000 of equalized valuation must be raised for elementary schools to qualify for state aid. The net assessment must contain this amount in addition to funds raised for high school maintenance and other statutory requirements.



# Itemized Report of School Board

February 1, 1938, to January 31, 1939

## *Summary of Receipts:*

Balance on hand January 31, 1938 ..	\$535.13
Dog tax .....	116.63
State aid .....	557.96
Rockingham National Bank refund ..	1.00
From town treasurer, as of appropriation, March, 1938 .....	5,100.00
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Total .....	\$6,310.72

## *Summary of Payments:*

### *Salaries of District Officers:*

Leslie F. Hayden, member of school board .....	\$15.00
Christopher A. Pollard, member of school board .....	15.00
Gladys M. Smith, member of school board .....	15.00
Francis N. Gray, treasurer .....	15.00
Perley R. Bean, moderator .....	2.00
Robert E. Nixon, clerk .....	2.00
Eugene C. Patridge, auditor .....	1.00
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	\$65.00

### *Superintendent's Excess Salary:*

To Fred A. Moore .....	82.00
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### *Expenses of Administration:*

L. F. Hayden, supervisor of check list	\$3.00
C. A. Pollard, supervisor of check list	3.00
G. M. Smith, supervisor of check list	3.00
G. M. Smith, school census .....	2.00
R. E. Lane, enumeration cards .....	1.60
Treasurer's bond .....	4.00
Francis N. Gray, treasurer's expense	2.85
Fred A. Moore, clerical assistance ..	19.00
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	\$38.45
Per capita tax .....	142.00

*Teachers' Salaries:*

Mrs. Leila Mayo .....	\$900.00	
Mrs. Gertrude Emerson .....	900.00	
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		\$1,800.00

Mr. Wendell Hawkins, music instruction .....		125.00
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*Medical Inspection:*

Mrs. Eloise N. Sheehy .....		65.00
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*Janitor Service:*

Mr. James F. Hayden .....	\$12.00	
Mr. Alton Wilson .....	106.00	
Mr. Leander Spencer .....	2.00	
Mr. Edgar F. Gray .....	114.00	
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		\$234.00

*Fuel:*

Leslie F. Hayden, wood .....	\$7.00	
Town of Newfields, wood .....	10.00	
William G. Nixon, hauling wood ...	3.00	
Perley R. Bean, sawing wood .....	2.75	
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		\$22.75

*Tuitions, High School:*

Robinson Seminary .....	\$802.30	
Exeter High School .....	110.00	
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		\$912.30

*Tuitions, Elementary:*

Robinson Seminary .....	\$587.00	
Exeter High School .....	222.00	
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		\$809.00

*Transportation:*

William Marshall, Jr. ....		937.50
Text books .....		33.03
Scholars' supplies .....		67.08
Flags and appurtenances .....		2.40

*Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies:*

New Hampshire Gas and Electric Co. ....	\$30.56	
Janitor's supplies .....	20.80	
Joseph Hallinan, labor and supplies on water pump .....		15.05

C. A. Pollard, water sample to Concord .....	\$0.53	
L. F. Hayden, cement for wall .....	.85	
E. C. Smith, cementing around well .....	5.00	
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		\$72.79
Other expenses of instruction .....		5.36
<i>Minor Repairs and Expenses:</i>		
C. A. Pollard, mowing and expenses to Portsmouth .....	\$5.35	
Alton E. Wilson .....	1.00	
A. J. Wilkinson, bushings on motor .....	.94	
E. C. Chick, labor and material on blower .....	2.50	
U. P. M. Kidder Press Co., Inc., blower parts .....	1.04	
James F. Bennett, mowing and cleaning schoolyard .....	6.00	
Leander Spencer, cleaning cellar at school .....	13.60	
Herman M. Partridge, copper tube and fittings .....	5.14	
James F. Bennett, mowing .....	3.37	
Leander Spencer, labor at school house .....	8.00	
Joseph J. Hallinan, labor on pump ..	9.60	
W. A. Young, paint, floor oil and key ..	5.85	
C. A. Pollard, minor repairs and expenses on water sample .....	1.36	
Edgar F. Gray .....	.50	
W. G. Nixon, hauling gravel .....	22.80	
Leroy P. Otis, cleaning furnace ....	4.00	
Leslie F. Hayden, gasket for furnace ..	.50	
Edgar F. Gray .....	9.50	
Joseph J. Hallinan, repair of boiler ..	5.50	
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		\$106.55
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Total expenditure .....	\$5,520.21	
Balance on hand February 1, 1939 .....	\$790.51	

In Memory of  
Christopher A. Pollard  
School Board Member  
1907-1939

## Vital Statistics

### MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Newfields, N. H., for the  
year ending January 31, 1939

Date, where married, name of parties, and name of  
person performing the ceremony:

March 8, 1938, Newfields, N. H., Edward Smith Larkin and Laurene Belle Wilson; E. C. Patridge, Justice of the Peace.

December 8, 1938, Salem, N. H., Rufus Abbott Merrill and Mary Ethel Ray; John C. Gorman, Justice of the Peace.

### BIRTHS

Registered in Newfields, N. H., for the year ending  
January 31, 1939.

Date, name of child, name of father, and maiden  
name of mother:

May 16, 1938, in Exeter Hospital, Marilyn Bonner; William Bonner and Mabel Pease.

July 11, 1938, in Boston Lying-In Hospital, John William Spead; Fred A. Spead and Helen R. Syvertsen.

August 7, 1938, in Exeter Hospital, Sarah Elizabeth Merrill; John Morrison Merrill and Martha Louise Donald.

November 11, 1938, in Providence Lying-In Hospital, Leonard Michael Sheehy; Leonard W. Sheehy and Louise F. Mahoney.



## DEATHS

Registered in the Town of Newfields, N. H., for the  
year ending January 31, 1939.

Date, name and surname of deceased, age, name of  
father, and maiden name of mother:

March 26, 1938, baby girl Thompson, stillborn;  
Harry Thompson and Beatrice Caswell.

April 4, 1938, in Wolfeboro, N. H., Martha Helen  
Rundlett, age 95 years, 11 months; interment in Paul  
Cemetery in Newfields, N. H.

September 25, 1938, in Merrimac, Mass., Charles W.  
Parker, age 45 years, 2 months; interment in Piscassic  
Cemetery in Newfields, N. H.

October 15, 1938, Margaret Ellen LeVangie, age 76  
years, 10 months, 1 day; Patrick Broderick and Cath-  
erine Curtin.

December 22, 1938, in Exeter Hospital, Joseph Car-  
ter, age 76 years, 11 months, 3 days; James Carter and  
Mary Buckley; interment in Newmarket, N. H.





